



Attorney Docket: 42896-216422
(19720-0624)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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EMANUELE ET AL.)
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Serial No.: **09/457,771**) Examiner: **R. Schnizer**
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Filing Date: **December 9, 1999**) Art Unit: **1635**
)
For: **THERAPEUTIC DELIVERY COMPOSITIONS AND**)
METHODS OF USE THEREOF)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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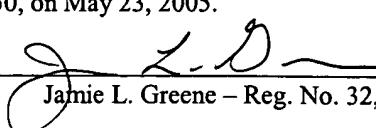
In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 22, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the following amendments and remarks, which are believed to place the application in condition for allowance. This response is timely filed within two months of the Final Office Action because May 22, 2005 is a Sunday. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request an Advisory Action or a Notice of Allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 12 of this paper.

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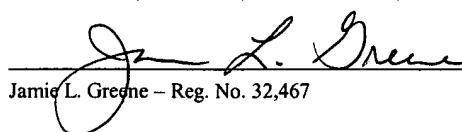
Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Amendment and Response to Office Action.
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ The additional fee is calculated as shown below:

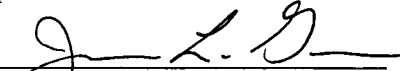
					SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	19	MINUS	35=	0	x25	\$	x50	\$
INDEP.	8	MINUS	8=	0	x100	\$	x200	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF								
<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+180	\$	+360	\$
TOTAL								
ADDITIONAL FEE						\$		\$

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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